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¶1. Embassy inquiries requested by reftel did not reveal any negative information on the Philippines Life Bank or the Philippines Negros Women for Tomorrow Foundation.
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